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STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.97**

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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98, Applicant submits for consideration in the above-identified application the documents listed on the attached Form PTO-1449. Copies of the documents are also submitted herewith. The Examiner is requested to make these documents of record.

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